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<b>DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION</b>	<b>RELATED NCCHC/ACA STANDARDS:</b> P-D-04 /4-4427 (IMPORTANT)	
<b>CHAPTER: 11 HEALTH SERVICES</b>	<b>SUBJECT: DIAGNOSTIC SERVICES</b>	
<b>APPROVED BY THE COMMISSIONER:</b>		
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**PURPOSE:**

Laboratory and diagnostic services are provided on site as necessary, are registered/accredited, or otherwise meet state/federal law and manufacturer's specifications.

**POLICY:**

1. At a minimum the following diagnostic services are available at each facility:
  - a. Multiple-test dipstick urinalysis
  - b. Finger-stick blood glucose testing
  - c. Hand-held peak flow meter
  - d. Occult stool cards and developer
  - e. Pregnancy testing (in facilities housing or processing females)
2. Procedural manuals, calibration instructions and results of calibration are available for any diagnostic services/equipment utilized.
3. Onsite radiology services have monitoring program through dosimetry to ensure radiology employees' exposure levels are within safe working requirements.
4. Laboratory tests and diagnostic studies not available at the institution are provided by a contracted service. Contracted service provide for storage, pick up of specimens and reporting of results to site.
5. Appropriate CLIA certification is obtained. Site Health Services Administrator applies for certification or waiver from Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services in accordance with CLIA requirements by obtaining specific information related to applicable state.
6. Calibration verification is made available on an annual basis or as recommended by manufacturer

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- Radiology equipment
  - Monitor/ Defibrillators
  - Automated External Defibrillators (AED's)
  - Respiratory Isolation Room(s)
7. Daily calibration of blood glucose monitor(s) using 2 of 3 controls (high, low, and normal) is performed when glucose monitor is in use. If monitor is not used daily, controls are performed and recorded prior to use of monitor.

References:

National Commission on Correctional Health Care: Standards for Health Services in Jails, 2003, J-D-04

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